UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK		
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ABBAS SHAH, et al.,	:	
Plaintiffs,	:	
	:	20 Civ. 1204 (LGS)
-against-	:	
Ç	:	<u>ORDER</u>
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FLAT RATE MOVINGERS LTD., et al.,	:	
Defendants.	:	
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## LORNA G. SCHOFIELD, District Judge:

WHEREAS, the initial pretrial conference in this matter is scheduled for May 28, 2020; WHEREAS, no significant issues were raised in the parties' joint letter or proposed case management plan; it is hereby

ORDERED that the May 28, 2020, initial pretrial conference is CANCELLED. If the parties believe that a conference would nevertheless be useful, they should inform the court immediately so the conference can be reinstated. The case management plan and scheduling order will issue in a separate order. The parties' attention is particularly directed to the provisions for periodic status letters, and the need for a pre-motion letter to avoid cancellation of the final conference and setting of a trial date. It is further

**ORDERED** that, if Defendants seeks to file a motion to dismiss, they shall file a premotion letter pursuant to Individual Rules III.A.1 and III.C.2. It is further

**ORDERED**, regarding settlement discussions, if and when the parties are ready to proceed with a settlement conference with the assigned Magistrate Judge or mediation in the Court's mediation program, they shall file a joint letter on ECF requesting a referral.

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The parties should be aware that the Court does not extend the deadlines for fact and expert discovery absent compelling circumstances.

Dated: May 22, 2020

New York, New York

Lorna G. Schofield

United States District Judge